

**U.S. District Court
District of Columbia (Washington, DC)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:19-cv-00282-TSC**

SHORELIGHT EDUCATION, LLC v. UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Assigned to: Judge Tanya S. Chutkan
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 02/01/2019
Jury Demand: None
Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of
Information Act
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
02/01/2019	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE (Filing fee \$ 400 receipt number 0090-5923334) filed by SHORELIGHT EDUCATION, LLC. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit, # <u>2</u> Exhibit, # <u>3</u> Exhibit, # <u>4</u> Civil Cover Sheet, # <u>5</u> Summons)(Haller, David) (Attachment 4 replaced on 2/4/2019) (zef,). (Entered: 02/01/2019)
02/04/2019		Case Assigned to Judge Tanya S. Chutkan. (zef,) (Entered: 02/04/2019)
02/04/2019	<u>2</u>	SUMMONS (3) Issued Electronically as to UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE, U.S. Attorney, U.S. Attorney General. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Notice and Consent)(zef,) (Additional attachment(s) added on 2/4/2019: # <u>2</u> Summons). Modified on 2/4/2019 (zmd). (Entered: 02/04/2019)

02/06/2019	<u>3</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed. UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE served on 2/5/2019 (Haller, David) Modified entry. Service has not been received on the U.S. Attorney or U.S. Attorney General on 2/6/2019 (ztd). (Entered: 02/06/2019)
03/12/2019	<u>4</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed on United States Attorney General. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney General 03/11/2019. (Haller, David) (Entered: 03/12/2019)
03/12/2019	<u>5</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed as to the United States Attorney. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney on 3/11/2019. Answer due for ALL FEDERAL DEFENDANTS by 4/10/2019. (Haller, David) (Entered: 03/12/2019)
03/15/2019	<u>6</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Paul Cirino on behalf of UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE (Cirino, Paul) (Entered: 03/15/2019)
04/01/2019	<u>7</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Leon Fresco on behalf of All Plaintiffs (Fresco, Leon) (Main Document 7 replaced on 4/1/2019) (ztd). (Entered: 04/01/2019)
04/04/2019	<u>8</u>	Consent MOTION for Extension of Time to File Answer by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Cirino, Paul) (Entered: 04/04/2019)
04/04/2019		MINUTE ORDER: Granting <u>8</u> Motion for Extension of Time to Answer. Defendant shall answer or otherwise respond to the Complaint by 4/30/19. Signed by Judge Tanya S. Chutkan on 4/4/19. (DJS) (Entered: 04/04/2019)
04/05/2019		Set/Reset Deadlines: Answer due by 4/30/2019. (tb) (Entered: 04/05/2019)
04/25/2019	<u>9</u>	Consent MOTION for Extension of Time to File Answer re <u>1</u> Complaint, by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Cirino, Paul) (Entered: 04/25/2019)
05/02/2019		MINUTE ORDER: Granting <u>9</u> Consent Motion for Extension of Time to Answer. Defendant shall answer or otherwise respond to the Complaint May 30, 2019. Signed by Judge Tanya S. Chutkan on 5/2/19. (DJS) (Entered: 05/02/2019)
05/03/2019		Set/Reset Deadlines: Answer due by 5/30/2019. (tb) (Entered: 05/03/2019)
05/30/2019	<u>10</u>	ANSWER to Complaint by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE.(Cirino, Paul) (Entered: 05/30/2019)
06/05/2019		MINUTE ORDER: Before the Court in this FOIA case are a complaint and an answer. The requirements of LCvR 16.3 and Rule 26(f) of the Federal Rules of Civil procedure appear to be inapplicable. IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the parties shall meet and confer and propose a schedule for proceeding in this matter. The schedule shall address the status of Plaintiff's FOIA request, the anticipated number of documents responsive to Plaintiff's FOIA request, the anticipated date(s) for release of the documents requested by Plaintiff, whether a motion for an Open America stay is likely in this case, whether a Vaughn index will be required in this case, whether and when either party anticipates filing a dispositive motion, and any other pertinent issues. The parties shall file a joint status report that addresses these issues no later than 7/8/19. The joint status report shall be accompanied by a proposed order. Signed by Judge Tanya S. Chutkan on 6/5/19. (DJS) (Entered: 06/05/2019)